HOSTILITIES IN THE GAZA STRIP AND ISRAEL - REPORTED IMPACT

DAY 38

OVERVIEW

The snapshot provides a comprehensive overview of the ongoing humanitarian crisis in Gaza as of 13 November 2023, including casualties, particularly among women and children.

Significant damage has been inflicted upon critical infrastructure and essential services, affecting people’s ability to maintain their dignity and basic living standards.

This snapshot highlights reported figures on the impact of hostilities on people in Gaza, where a major humanitarian crisis has unfolded.

REPORTED CASUALTIES (Cumulative) as of 10 November 2023

Palestinians* MoH in Gaza hasn’t updated hospital casualties for 3 consecutive days

- 11,078* Reported fatalities in addition to ~1,000 fatalities in Israel, including people involved in the 7 October attack
- 27,490* Injuries
- 3,500 people including 1,740 children reportedly missing and may be trapped under the rubble

> 1,6 million internally displaced (70% of Gaza)

0 hours Full electricity blackout for 34 days

Families with multiple fatalities

- At least 6,120 of the reported fatalities were from 825 families
- More than 10
- 6 to 9
- 2 to 5
- 312 Families
- 189 Families
- 549 Families

*According to the Ministry of Health in Gaza

Israelis**

Israel

- Over 1,200*** Reported fatalities
- ~5,400 Reported injuries

Gaza

- 239 hostages in Gaza (including soldiers and foreign nationals)

** According to Israeli media citing official sources
*** The reported estimate, which includes foreign nationals, has been changed by the Israeli sources

REPORTED DAMAGE

- 10,000 Destroyed buildings
- 41,000+ Destroyed housing units
- 222,000+ Partially damaged housing units

- At least 45% of Gaza’s housing units reportedly destroyed or damaged
- 283 education facilities reportedly damaged
- 135 health facilities attacked
- 11 bakeries reportedly destroyed
- 22 hospitals and 49 Health care center out of service
- 53 ambulances damaged
- 20 WASH facilities damaged

At least 3 churches and 71 mosques damaged

*Ministry of public works and housing as of 6 Nov.

BASIC SERVICES AND LIVELIHOODS

FOOD SECURITY

- Lack of food in the north is of increasing concern
- The situation is catastrophic and WFP stocks inside Gaza are running out

The only operative mill cannot transform wheat due to electricity outages

4-6 hours average waiting time to receive half of normal bread portion

WATER AND SANITATION

- Two water contractors in the south stopped, leaving 200,000 without clean water
- No Access to clean water in the Northern Governorates, Fuel shortage impacts:60 water wells, 2 desalination plants, Sewage stations and pumps, Wastewater treatment
- UNRWA waste removal shutting down; 400 tons daily rubbish accumulation risk

HEALTH

- Hospitals in the North being under heavy strikes
- Almost all hospitals in Gaza city and northern Gaza are reportedly not operational, except one.

At high risk

At least 1,000 kidney failure; 2,000 cancer patients, 130 neonates in incubators

Critical shortages of drugs, blood products and supplies (Fuel at the hospitals is being severely rationed)

Evacuation orders

All 13 hospitals still operational in Gaza city and Northern Gaza have received evacuation orders

EDUCATION

625K (100%) Students with no access to education

Over 51% of Gaza’s education facilities have been hit

HUMANITARIAN OPERATION

- UNRWA to cease operations in 48 hours due to depleted fuel.
- 102 UNRWA staff killed
- At least 192 health workers
- 18 civil defence killed while on duty.

MOVEMENT AND ACCESS

Closure of crossings with Israel.

Rafah crossing with Egypt is partially open.

Prohibition of sea access and restrictions near Israel’s perimeter fence.

INCOMING TRUCKLOADS

500 trucks pre-crisis average per working day in 2023

20 Oct 25 Oct 12 Nov

1,079 trucks with humanitarian aid entered Gaza since 21 October.

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Q: What is the total number of families with multiple fatalities in Gaza?

A: The total number of families with multiple fatalities in Gaza, as of 10 November 2023, is 6,120. This includes 825 families where 10 or more members were reportedly killed in the attacks. Each family has faced immense loss and trauma, highlighting the catastrophic nature of the conflict. The number is an estimate and may vary as more information becomes available. The situation is dire, with families being torn apart and forced to confront the harsh realities of war.

Q: What are the impacts on basic services and livelihoods in Gaza?

A: The impacts on basic services and livelihoods in Gaza are severe and widespread. Food security is threatened due to the lack of food in the north, with WFP stocks running low. Water and sanitation services are critically diminished, with two water contractors停止supplying water to the south. Healthcare facilities are under heavy strikes, with all hospitals in Gaza city and northern Gaza reported as not operational except for one. Education facilities have been hit hard, with over 51% of Gaza’s schools not functional due to damage or lack of access. These challenges exacerbate the humanitarian crisis, making it increasingly difficult for the population to survive.

Q: What is the situation at the crossing points with Egypt and Israel?

A: The crossing points with Egypt and Israel are under strict control. Movement and access are restricted, with critical goods unable to enter Gaza. Conditions are especially dire for healthcare and humanitarian supplies, which are essential for the thousands of Gazans affected by the conflict. The prohibition of sea access further complicates the situation, limiting the delivery of vital resources. These measures add to the suffering of the Gazan population, who are already facing terrible conditions due to the conflict.

Q: What is the impact of the attacks on infrastructure?

A: The attacks have had a devastating impact on infrastructure in Gaza. Over 10,000 buildings have been destroyed, with 41,000+ housing units damaged. Partially damaged housing units number over 222,000+. The destruction of critical services, such as hospitals and health centers, has led to a critical shortage of medical supplies and healthcare facilities. The situation is catastrophic, with hospitals reporting severe rationing of fuel, impacting emergency services. The loss of infrastructure and services affects every aspect of daily life, from access to clean water to healthcare services.